

A Team of Mares, Wagon and Harness for Sale to the Highest Bidder for Cash in Front of Peanut and Popcorn Stand on Public Square Saturday, Oct. 17, at 2:30 p. m.

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## MANY MIRRORETTES

### Purely Personal Paragraphs and Brief Business Bits of Interest to You

Oct. 15, 16, 17.  
Stock show next week.  
Eat at Shipnough's.—Adv.  
Are you ready for the big show?  
Aviation flights Oct. 16 and 17.  
Groceries at Newton's.—Adv.  
W.T. Norcross was in Norwood Tuesday.  
All roads lead to Mansfield—next week.  
G.W. Miller's spent Tuesday at Springfield.  
Wm. Williams of Hartville was here Tuesday.  
W. S. Elrod, of Norwood, was here Monday.  
John Owens, of Norwood, was here Monday.  
J.D. Reynolds was in Mountain Grove Monday.  
Go to P. W. Newton's for your groceries.—adv.  
W. H. Brake of Norwood was here last evening.  
S.H. Robertson of Macomb was here last evening.  
E. A. Sisk's were Ash Grove visitors last week.  
H. A. Samuel, of Cedar Gap, was here last week.  
Special Sunday dinner at the Mansfield Hotel.—adv.  
H. D. Norcross, of Norwood, was here during the week.  
Frank Scheuerman was a Springfield visitor last week.  
Attorney N. J. Craig was a Springfield visitor this week.  
Mrs. Will Tarbutton, who has been quite sick, is improving.  
A daughter was born yesterday to O.E. Winburn and wife.  
Better hats for less money at the Mansfield Millinery Parlor—adv.  
Good stove wood, \$1.25, full cord. Phone Verr Williams—Adv.  
If you need a Wheat Drill see J. C. Carter before you buy.—Adv.  
Col. L. O. Neider transacted business in Carter county this week.  
If you want to buy a second hand stove for \$1 call at this office.  
Wm. Hublitt, of Eldorado, Kas., has been here viewing the Ozarks.  
Mansfield Mirror and Weekly Kansas City Star both one year for \$1.20.  
P. W. Newton will deliver your groceries to any part of the city.—adv.  
J.H. Moore orders his address changed from Lombard to Townsend, Mont.  
A. M. Curtis, C. W. Evans and R. F. Adams, of Hartville, were here Monday.  
Highest Market Prices paid for Cream and Eggs at Shipnough's.—Adv.  
Prof. Phelps of Mountain Grove attended Masonic lodge here Saturday night.  
New signs adorn the windows of T. J. Rippee's shoe and harness repair shop.  
Boost for Mansfield's Third Annual Agricultural and Stock Show October 15, 16, 17.  
The front of the Mansfield Drug Co., building has received a new coat of paint.  
C.E. Cathcart's will move to the N. S. Miller property after Mrs. Miller's public sale.  
Don't buy a grain drill until you see the VanBrunt Drill at J. D. Reynolds'—Adv.  
Bargains in ladies' hats every Saturday at the Mansfield Millinery Parlor.—Adv.  
C. L. Beach gave the Norwood people a good moving picture show Tuesday night.  
D. J. Watkins orders his address changed from Wylan, Ala., to Pensacola, Fla.  
If you want to save money on your Groceries buy them at P. W. Newton's—Adv.

Dr. A. V. Janes of Cameron was here last week. He had been attending court at Ava.  
W. G. Reynolds and wife and O. S. Coday and wife are attending the Springfield fair.  
Don't fail to visit the poultry department and see the capons on exhibition at the fair.  
Mrs. George Crippen orders her address changed from Rosedale to Sunflower, Miss.  
Sure we are going now to the poultry show to see Mrs. Riley demonstrate caponizing.  
FOR SALE—Scholarship in the Central Business College at Sedalia. Call at this office.  
Every Saturday is Bargain Day in ladies hats at the Mansfield Millinery Parlor.—Adv.  
Mrs. John McCrite, who has been suffering with blood poisoning in the foot, is improving.  
Howe Steele and Ira Aber of Hartville were here last week enroute home from Kansas City.  
If you want the best wheat drill on the market buy a VanBrunt from J.D. Reynolds.—Adv.  
Advertise the stock show. Use attractively printed envelopes, for sale at this office at 25 for 10c.  
While attending the Stock Show go to Shipnough's to Eat—in Concrete Block Bldg.—Adv.  
You are missing the best half of your life by not buying your Bread at Shipnough's Store.—Adv.  
Several of our people have been and will attend the fairs at Springfield, Mountain Grove and Ava.  
See the babies in the Better Baby Contest next week. Our best products are our boys and girls.  
R. N. Farren has been here from Springfield visiting his family and repairing automobiles.  
It costs \$10 and costs to get drunk, now, boys. Better cut it. The price may be even higher.  
W.T. Adell of Neodesha, Kans., was here this week on business. He owns a 7½ acre tract near Mansfield.  
The Primitive Baptist Association was held during the week at their church 2 miles east of Mansfield.  
Come to Mansfield next week—look over the products of the farm—and see what we raise in the Ozarks.  
The VanBrunt will drill wheat and oats where the others fail. Guaranteed to be the best on the market.—Adv.  
If you don't believe there are good crops in Wright county this year, come to the stock show next week.  
You will miss it if you buy a drill before you see a VanBrunt at J. D. Reynolds' store. Now on display.—Adv.  
G.S. Burney has completed the filling of his silo and we believe all the silos in this neighborhood are now filled.  
The school exhibits next week will show you that we are not neglecting the education of the youth in the Ozarks.  
Mrs. Joe A. Riley will give a demonstration of caponizing each afternoon in the poultry department during the fair.  
Improvements have been made in the front of Fuson's drug store, and new plate glass windows have been put in.  
W. E. Young, of Mountain Grove, Republican nominee for presiding judge of the county court, was here last week.  
Buy your Candy at the Purity Bakery and get a free chance on the toy house and swing on display in the window.—Adv.  
J.R. Rice of Black Rock, Ark., was here this week and purchased of G. S. Burney all of his No. 2 and Ben Davis apples.  
FOR SALE—One second hand one horse fertilizer wheat drill at a bargain.  
Adv. J. C. CARTER.

Fresh Fish at the Cash Store Friday, Oct. 9—16c and 20c per lb Also Fresh Oysters  
Adv. BEN OTTO.  
Frank Peacock made his appearance on the streets Saturday for the first time after a long illness with typhoid fever.  
W. C. Coday's automobile met with an accident near Lead Hill Sunday necessitating repair work for the crippled machine.  
Parties desiring special dinners Sundays during the heated term, will please notify in advance the Mansfield Hotel.—adv.  
Don't forget that the Purity Bakery is going to furnish all the Bread, Buns and Pastry you can use during the Stock Show.—Adv.  
Mike Gallagher has completed a concrete walk in front of O. L. Robinson's residence, and also a walk from the sidewalk to the porch.  
E. E. Lugeanbeal, formerly of Mansfield, writes from Fredonia that he contemplates going into the banking business at Elk City, Kas.  
 I am going to the poultry department to see the capons.  
Preparations for the stock show are going forward at a rapid rate and everything will be in readiness on time. Come to the stock show.  
Clarence Smalley and family of 12 miles south have been visiting home folks in Mansfield this week. Their little son Russell is on the sick list.  
Mrs. S.C. Musick leaves today for Clinton, La., to spend the winter with her daughter, Miss Lois, who is teaching in the high school at that place.  
Mrs. C.A. Durnell requests all who have pet animals to bring them to the stock show and they will be placed on exhibition in the poultry department.  
G. C. Murrell, of Hartville, Republican candidate for Probate Judge, was here Sunday accompanied by his family enroute to Norwood for a visit.  
We have printed bills for R. M. Bishop, 8 miles north of Mansfield, for a public sale October 10. Mr. Bishop expects to locate in Linn county.  
W. E. Kirk, of Cabool, was here Monday. He has traded a farm in Oklahoma for the general store at Duncan, and will take charge of the same.  
Mrs. Sophia Headley has gone to Raton, N. M., for a visit with W. E. O'Brien and wife, and other relatives, and will probably spend the winter there.  
The 10-months-old son of Sidney Merritt and wife, 12 miles south of Mansfield, died Tuesday of tuberculous of the lungs; interment yesterday at Casto.  
G. W. Freeman & Son have received their Fall and Winter Goods and are ready to show you all the New Styles and Good Values the market affords.—Adv.  
J. R. Bruton, of Norwood, Progressive nominee for judge, south district, was here Saturday enroute to Hartville to attend the Progressive meeting.  
N. J. CRAIG HAS SOME MONEY THAT HE DESIRES TO LOAN ON GOOD IMPROVED FARMS IN EITHER WRIGHT OR DOUGLAS COUNTIES. Adv.  
If you want to buy the best Hay Press, Wheat Drills, Wagon or Buggy, or Turning Plow, go to J. D. Reynolds. He handles the celebrated John Deere kind.—Adv.  
Clarence King caught the middle finger of his left hand in a pump Sunday, mashing off the end of the finger. A portion of his finger was amputated by Dr. J. A. Fuson.  
REAL ESTATE AND FARM JOURNAL, 20 pages, hundreds of sale and exchange bargains, good descriptions with owners names and addresses. SUBSCRIPTION—Yearly 50c, copy 5c. THE ADVERTISER, Dept. G. Springfield, Mo.

Mrs. R.A. Stapp and daughter Gladys, attended the wedding of Mr. Bridgers and Mrs. Boatman at Mountain Grove yesterday. The newly wedded couple leave today for California.  
Miss Ruby Tyler, of Lamar, has been visiting at the J. A. Edwards home, being a niece of Mrs. Edwards. Miss Tyler is a printer, and we acknowledge a pleasant, fraternal call.  
Clarence Smalley has sold his 80-acre farm on Dry Creek to Floyd Dixon. Mr. Smalley has purchased the Kelley barber shop at Rogersville and will take charge of the same soon.  
Mrs. James McConnell and children of Maysville, who have been visiting her parents, John M. Kelley and wife, near Hartville, for the past month, were here this week enroute home.  
H.E. Newton's fine new bungalow in Burney's addition is rapidly nearing completion and will be one of our city's nicest residences. A concrete walk has been put down in front of the property.  
According to President Wilson's proclamation Sunday was observed as peace day in the churches and at the various churches prayer was offered for the restoration of peace in Europe.  
The two "biggest" steers in the county were bought Saturday by Thomas Keeling for D. S. Cantrell and A. T. Friend the price being \$197.50. The combined weight of the cattle was 8000 pounds.  
The city is putting in new concrete crossings to connect up all concrete walks. Nearly all property owners notified to put in walks have done so and it is hoped we will soon have good walks all over the city.  
People from far and near crowded the streets of Mansfield Saturday. Many from a distance are getting the habit of coming to Mansfield and doing their trading with Mirror advertisers. Mirror advertising pays.  
We have printed bills for Mrs. N. S. Miller for a public sale of household goods in the park Saturday, October 10. Immediately after the sale Mrs. Miller and daughter, Vivian, expect to leave for Missoula, Mont., to join Mr. Miller.  
E. J. Floyd, Carlisle Poe, G. S. Townsend, J. H. Robinson, E. B. Floyd, Ray Shollenberger and Clifford Robinson attended a special communication of the Royal Arch Masons Monday night, the three latter being candidates for the Royal Arch degree.  
Attorney C. W. Evans, of Hartville was here last week enroute home from St. Louis, where he attended the opening meeting of the Republican state campaign. He is one of the speakers for the state committee this year, and is an orator of high ability.  
Dr. J. A. Fuson, of Mansfield, and E. B. Garner, of Hartville, returned last week from Kansas City where they had attended a meeting of the Masonic Grand Lodge. Mrs. Garner was also in Kansas City attending the O. E. S. meeting.  
The Wright County tax books are to be found at our office and we are prepared to collect taxes on property anywhere in the county. Pay your taxes here and save making a trip to the county seat.  
Now is the time to place your order for that new fall or winter suit. Get a suit made to fit you. Let us show you our fine new line of samples and take your measurements correctly. Our prices are the most reasonable.  
R. A. STAPP.  
J. H. Riley, of Kansas City, traveling salesman for the Burnham-Hanna-Root Dry Goods Co., arrived Saturday night accompanied by his wife, for a visit with his brothers, Dr. F.H. Riley and J.A. Riley and families. They will remain until after the Stock Show.

Edward B. Archer, who went to St. Louis last week to undergo an operation, is getting along nicely and expects to get home next week.—Hartville Democrat.  
Rev. Wolfe was called to Phillipsburg Sunday to conduct a funeral service. He remained there until after the district conference, which was held Monday and Tuesday.—Seymour Citizen.  
H. L. Allred's public sale last week was well attended and good prices prevailed. Mr. Allred and family have located in Springfield, where he will be employed at his trade of mechanic. Harley Stout has rented the Allred farm and will occupy the same.  
T. J. Brown, of Houston, Republican candidate for judge of the probate court of Texas county, stopped off here Thursday enroute home from Kansas City, and visited over night with his mother and brother, Mrs. Mary A. Brown and son.  
J. B. Freeman has returned from Sedalia, where here he attended the state fair and visited L. A. Quigley and wife. He reports the latter nicely located and satisfied with their new home. Mr. Quigley holds a responsible position with the Sedalia Waterworks Co.  
A dead alligator about 1½ feet long was found Saturday on the Frisco railroad track near the tool house. Many of our people had never seen an alligator, and when E. A. Crippen was asked to name it said from the prominence of its teeth he would judge it to be a "Bull Moose."  
The many friends here of Homer Nearing, formerly of Springfield, will be pleased to learn that he is meeting with success in his musical career in Artesia, N. M., having been employed as head of the piano department in the School of Applied Arts at that place.  
Remember, we are closing out all of our Spring Goods. Now is the time for you to save money by calling and buying your Shoes and Dress Goods, Fine Shirts—in fact, all of the spring stuff you need, from us, as we will save you money.  
Adv. J. D. REYNOLDS.  
Mansfield was full of lawyers and other prominent people last week, the occasion being court week at Ava. Among others a Mirror representative noticed Prosecuting Attorney I. N. Jett, of Howell county, Ex-Sheriff J. W. Cantrell and Circuit Clerk Joe C. Sites, of Texas county.  
J. R. Deckard of Gasconade township, Democratic nominee for collector, was in Mansfield this week looking after his political interests. Reece is regarded by our people as a Mansfield product and has many friends here as well as throughout the county who are for him first, last and always.  
It is to the interest of the farmers to give more attention to the breeding of all kinds of stock. The good, well stock is always in demand at a big percent over the scrub kind; besides, the satisfaction of handling the good kind is worth something. This will apply to all kinds of poultry as well as stock. Swat the scrub males of all kinds.  
Circuit Clerk John N. Pryor, Jr., of Hartville was here Tuesday enroute to Mountain Grove to attend the Tri-County Stock Show. Mr. Pryor is the Republican nominee for re-election and he is asking the votes of the people on his official record, which is a matter of public property and open to the inspection of all. Mr. Pryor has "made good" and his many friends in Wright county claim he well deserves re-election by a splendid majority.

## Farm Loans

At lowest prevailing rates.  
No delay.  
Adv. GEO. B. FREEMAN.

## NOTICE!

For the convenience of the taxpayers of Pleasant Valley township, I have placed in the hands of W. B. Hitchcock a copy of the tax list. Call on him and pay your taxes and save a trip to Hartville.

JOHN A. DENNIS,  
Tax Collector.

## Hugh Gaskill Dead

Hugh Gaskill, aged 85 years and 11 months, died Sunday midnight at his home near Mansfield. Rev. Mr. Hensley conducted a short funeral service from the home at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, after which the remains were taken to the Newton cemetery for interment, where services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Russell. The singing at the services was in charge of S. W. Hopper. The services were largely attended and floral tributes were sent from the Mansfield Public School, his daughter, Miss Sarah, being one of the teachers.

Mr. Gaskill was born in Tennessee, lived one year in Arkansas, and came at an early age to Missouri where he has ever since resided.

He was married March 17, 1877, and to this union were born 9 children, 8 of whom survive. His wife preceded him in death 15 years ago.

Mr. Gaskill's health has been quite bad since an illness three years ago, and the children desire to publicly express their most heartfelt thanks to their neighbors for their many acts of kindness in assisting in his care during these three years.

## Clean Up Notice.

Every citizen who is possessed with an inclination towards cleanliness and beauty will please cut all weeds, clean up and burn all rubbish possible and place remainder in boxes and barrels along the back alleys where it will be convenient to load on wagons and same will be hauled away.

This should be accomplished not later than next Monday afternoon, October 12th, to enable us to haul it off Tuesday. We want the city to be clean and dressed up before the Stock Show.

G. S. BURNLEY, Mayor.

## IS YOUR NAME HERE?

The following have our thanks for cash on subscription since our last issue:

Hariett Oberholser, Osceola, Ia.  
R. F. Walters, Mansfield.  
Mrs. Flora Key, Osteen, Fla.  
Mrs. Lydia Corbin, Lula.  
Mrs. M. Riley, Olathe, Kas.  
H. A. Samuel, Cedar Gap.  
Minnie McNaull, Ash Fork, Ariz.  
R. A. Stapp, Mansfield.  
Horace Fullington, Bolivar.  
M. G. Hensley, Mansfield.  
Mrs. S. C. Musick, Clinton, Ia.  
W. T. Adell, Neodesha, Kas.

## Mutrey-Walton.

John Mutrey, of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Walton, of Mansfield, were united in marriage at Springfield Friday at the home of the groom's daughter. They have returned to Mansfield and are living on the Walton farm.

They were given a delightful serenade Monday night by their many neighbors and friends. The Mirror joins in congratulations and best wishes.

## L. M. Herod Dead

Lee M. Herod, aged 46 years, died yesterday at his home near Mansfield. He had been quite sick for some time, his death resulting from uremic poisoning. Funeral services this afternoon.

He leaves a widow, four children and other relatives and friends to mourn his death. We extend to the bereaved family sympathy in their loss.

## BACK TO PROSPERITY

Hon. T. J. Akins, Hon. W.I. Diffenderfer and Col. A. C. Rankin Speak

A large crowd gathered at the Mansfield opera house last evening to attend the opening rally of the Republican party for the 1914 campaign.

Addresses were made by Hon. W. I. Diffenderfer, of Lebanon, Republican nominee for congress from the 16th Missouri district. Hon. T. J. Akins, of St. Louis, Republican nominee for United States Senator, and Col. A. C. Rankin, of Chicago, the "iron moulder orator," also delivered addresses. Mr. Rankin is one of the most expert tariff men in the country, and has been speaking for 30 years under the auspices of the Republican National Committee.

"Back to Prosperity" was the slogan of the speakers, and their remarks received the closest attention of all.

The Mansfield Concert Band kindly lent their assistance to enliven the occasion by giving a concert preceding the meeting.

## In Federal Court

In the report of the proceedings of the federal court at Springfield we notice the following in the Republican:

For selling liquor in Wright county without a license, George Smith was fined \$100 and sentenced to 20 days in jail.

L. B. Tate, one time postmaster of Graff, Wright county, charged with embezzling post-office funds, was sentenced to six months in jail and fined \$100.

William Finchum pleaded guilty to selling liquor without a license at Mountain Grove and was sentenced to 30 days in jail and was fined \$100.

The Springfield Leader says: Peter Barton, convicted of manufacturing "moonshine" whiskey in the neighborhood of Hartshorn, was sentenced to a year and a day in the Leavenworth penitentiary and a fine of \$100 and costs on execution.

Attorneys for the plaintiff in the cases of Howe Steel, trustee, against the International Harvester Company and the Keet-Rountree Dry Goods Company for priority in bankruptcy, filed a motion with Judge Van Valkenburgh during the morning session, asking that both suits be dismissed, as they had been settled out of court.

## Stock Show Special

The Fox River Butter Co. of St. Louis, manufacturers of the famous Beatrice cream separator, donated \$10 through their local representative, the Mansfield Produce Co., to be used for special premiums. This firm has distributed thousands of dollars in this section of the Ozarks for the purchase of cream, and their liberal donation to our Stock Show is appreciated by the committee in charge of the business.

## A Premature Flight.

Ralph E. McMillen, the aviator who will be here next week, must be some aviator as we can't even keep his picture from flying. While his cut was being used Tuesday afternoon on a job press in the Mirror office, the form suddenly vaulted into the air and hit the floor with a crash, scattering the chase, roller-bearers, type, cuts, leads, slugs, furniture and rules over a goodly territory of the office floor, and smashing up some of the material. You just can't keep Mr. McMillen from flying.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. W. H. Anderson filled his regular Sunday appointment,